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SIR ROBERT FALCONER,

PRES.UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO.

TORONTO-

IMPORTANT LETTER FROM MEMBER OF CARNEGIE CORPORATION GOING FORWARD

SUGGEST HOLDING ANSWER UNTIL MY ARRIVAL TOMORROW.MORNING.

2.41P

COLLIER C.GRANT.

SIDNEY CHILDS, B A.,
PRESIDENT

COLLIER C. GRANT, B.A.,
GENERAL SECRETARY-TREASURER

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Students' Administrative Council
University of Toronto.

September 10, 1918.

Miss Patterson,
Secretary to the President,
University of Toronto, Toronto.

Dear Miss Patterson:

In the absence of the President I am writing to you to ask you to be good enough to call the matter of the collection of the Student Administrative Council fees, from the Faculty of Education, to the attention of the proper parties before it is too late.

I have been advised that provision has been made for the fee in the calendar, and we would appreciate it very much if you would see that it is not omitted in the instructions given to the Bursar's office.

Yours faithfully,

Collier C. Grant

General Secretary-Treasurer.

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Students Administrative Council
University of Toronto.

October 2, 1918.

Sir Robert Falconer,
President,
University of Toronto,
Toronto.

Dear Mr. President:

Last Friday I was approached by a number of the students of the University of Toronto in connection with the proposed reorganization of the Artillery units of Canada. It would appear that a general order has been issued disbanding all the Artillery units and merging them into depot brigades. I endeavored to get into communication with you but was advised from your residence and by Miss Patterson that your ship had been delayed, and that they could not tell me when you would be in the city.

In the meantime I had reported the matter to the Vice-President, of the Students Administrative Council, in the absence of Mr. Childs. Mr. Hague of Medicine, the Vice-President, felt that the matter was of sufficient importance to call an executive meeting. The meeting drafted and approved of a letter, (a copy of which I am enclosing) which was sent to Mr. Childs in Ottawa for his approval. Mr. Childs was asked to see that the letter was then forwarded to the Minister of Militia.

There seems to be a strong feeling among the students of the University, who are liable to be called in the next draft, that there should be some connection kept up between the University and some Artillery unit, and the recommendation of a University man to the command of the local Depot seems to be the only way to establish this connection under the new order. I knew that you were very much opposed to what is commonly called "button-holing", and I told the executive of your feeling. The meeting was, however, of the unanimous opinion that a letter of recommend-

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ation from the students of the University of Toronto, could not be so regarded, and that the Minister knowing of your absence from the city would know what weight to give to the Council letter.

Please permit me on behalf of the Students Administrative Council to give expression to our great pleasure and thankfulness at your safe return to the University.

Yours respectfully,

Charles C. Grant
General Secretary-Treasurer.

STUDENTS ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL.

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Oct. 1, 1918.

Major-General Sydney C. Mewburn,
The Honorable, The Minister of Militia,
Ottawa, Canada.

Sir:

We understand that according to R. O. 795, there is to be a reorganization of the Artillery establishments of Canada and that under this the 67th Varsity Battery will be disbanded. You will remember that this Battery was organized at the request of the undergraduates of the University of Toronto, following a meeting called by the President of the Students Administrative Council, for that purpose.

The Students Administrative Council feels that it can still be of service to the Department of Militia and Defence on account of its intimate connection with the highest grades of young men of the country.

The Students Administrative Council further hopes that the good work done by the Varsity Battery will be recognized by you, Sir, in this re-organization, and that the Officer Commanding, Major H. E. Cawley, who has done such good work, will be given command of the Depot in our District, (M. D. No.2).

The Students Administrative Council ever since the Varsity Battery was authorized have carried on a consistent recruiting campaign for this artillery unit as well as furnishing it with many comforts, and the Council ventures to hope that the continuance of this connection may be affected by the appointment of Major Cawley to the command of M. D. No.2 Depot.

Major-General Sydney C. Mewburn.

This communication is being carried direct to you Sir, through the President of the Students Administrative Council, Rev. Sidney Childs, B. A., in the absence of the President of the University, Sir Robert Falconer, who has not at the time of writing returned from overseas.

Yours faithfully,

STUDENTS ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL.

(Signed) "Sidney Childs"?
.....
President

(Signed) "Omer G. Hague"
.....
Vice-President

(Signed) "Collier C. Grant"
.....
General Secretary-Treasurer.

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Also signed by three other members of the Executive present at the meeting.

SIDNEY CHILDS, B.A.,
PRESIDENT

COLLIER C. GRANT, B.A.,
GENERAL SECRETARY-TREASURER

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Students Administrative Council
University of Toronto.

October 10th., 1918.

Sir Robert Falconer,
President, University of Toronto.
Toronto.

Dear Mr. President:-

I am enclosing herewith for your perusal a signed copy of an audit made by Mr. T. A. Reed, of the Council's Patriotic Accounts.

I will be glad to answer any questions that may arise in your mind.

Yours respectfully,

Collier C. Grant.
General Secretary.

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Toronto, Ontario,
October 7, 1918.

The Students Administrative Council,
University of Toronto.

Gentlemen:-

Following the request of your President and Secretary, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the two Varsity Magazine Supplements for the years 1916 and 1917, and of the Military Equipment Fund, and enclose herewith separate statements for each issue.

During the audit I examined all paid cheques and vouchers for disbursements and reconciled the balances of the various accounts with the bank books. As far as could be ascertained all moneys received were properly credited, although on account of certain irregularities during the compilation of the first Supplement, for which Mr. Turney was responsible, it was not possible to do more than assume that the entries as they appear in the books are correct. However, as the University Solicitor, Mr. J. A. Paterson, K. C., has dealt with this matter and made a satisfactory adjustment, it is unnecessary for an auditor to go further into it.

From a statement supplied by your Secretary, it would appear that there was an issue of 9000 copies of the 1916 Supplement printed, of which 4358 were sold, 3642 distributed free and in connection with the advertising campaign, and about 1000 remain on hand, For the 1917 Supplement there were 9000 copies issued of which approximately 2000 were sold, 1000 distributed, and 6000 remain on hand.

Students Administrative Council.

The profits on the 1916 Supplement were $9106.77
distributed as follows:-

Canadian Red Cross Society	$6000.00	
University of Toronto Hospital Supply Association	2000.00	
University of Toronto Re-Educational Fund	1106.77	
		$9106.77

The profits of the 1917 Supplement were $7619.96
of which there has been distributed to the

University of Toronto Hospital Supply Association	$5000.00	
University of Toronto Re-Educational Fund	1619.00	
Leaving on hand the sum of ...	2000.96	
		7619.96

The subscriptions received for the Military Equipment
Fund were $5000.00
Less Commission to Collector 1111.50
$3888.50

Distributed as follows:-

University of Toronto Overseas Tobacco Company of the Officers Training Corps ..	$1000.00	
97th University of Toronto Rifles .	1950.00	
University of Toronto Company 1st Tank Battalion	$ 500.00	
	3450.00	
Leaving undistributed	475.50	
		$3925.50

Your staff is to be commended for the careful and efficient manner in which the books and accounts have been kept.

Students Administrative Council.

As these publications are likely to go on for some time and the funds handled amount to considerable sums, it is desirable that the expenditures should be covered by minutes, authorizing these amounts, particularly such items as commissions on advertising, salaries of Editorial Board, and the contracts for printing and engraving. I shall be glad to give any further information or assistance that may be desired.

Faithfully yours,

J. A. Reed.

VARSITY MAGAZINE SUPPLEMENT

1916 EDITION

Receipts

Advertising	$23,942.50	
Subscriptions	$ 2,206.15	
		$26,148.65

Expenditures

Printing		$ 4,706.90	
Engraving		2,282.66	
Commissions on advertising and subscriptions		$ 6,165.83	
Salaries - Editorial Board.....		500.	
H. Turney -		625.	
Office ...		725.90	
Expenses H. Turney		256.01	
Rev. S. Childs		70.75	
Office		715.29	
Postage		212.14	
Advertising		155.30	
Typewriter		110.00	
Sundry		87.48	
			$17,041.83
Profit			$ 9,106.77

Donations

Canadian Red Cross	$3000.00	
University of Toronto Imperial Supply Assoc'n.	$2000.00	
University of Toronto Memorial Fund	$106.77	
		$ 9,106.77

Audited & found correct
J. A. Reed.
Oct. 9th.

V A R S I T Y M A G A Z I N E S U P P L E M E N T

1917 Edition

Receipts

Advertising paid	$24,125.00	
" (accounts rec'ble)	350.	
Subscriptions	1,500.55	
		$25,968.55

Expenditures

Printing	$ 5,041.63	
Engraving	2,666.10	
Commissions on Advertising and Subscriptions	6,096.25	
Salaries - Editorial Board	1,200.	
J. S. Brodie	408.35	
Office	1,506.60	
Expenses - Rev. S. Childs	72.39	
Office	702.68	
Postage	135.	
Advertising	295.	
Delivery	46.70	
		$18,346.40
Profit		$ 7,619.95

Donations

University of Toronto Hospital Supply Association	$3000.
University of Toronto Re-Educational Fund	$1250.
Amount Undistributed	$3369.95
	$ 7,619.95

Audited & found correct
J. A. Reed.
7 Oct 1916

STATEMENT

MILITARY EQUIPMENT FUND

Subscriptions	$5550.00	$5550.00
Commission to Collector		
20% on $4030.00	$1007.50	
16% on $1280.00	$ 204.00	
		$1211.50
		$4170.50

Distributed as follows :-

University of Toronto Overseas Training Company	$1550.00	
67th (University of Toronto) Battery	$1950.00	
University of Toronto Company 1st. Pnl. Battalion	$ 200.00	
		$3700.00
Amount Undistributed		$ 470.50

Audited & found correct

J. A. Reed.

7 Oct. 1918

SIDNEY CHILDS, B.A.,
PRESIDENT

COLLIER C. GRANT, B.A.,
GENERAL SECRETARY-TREASURER

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Students' Administrative Council
University of Toronto.

February 1, 1919.

Sir Robert Falconer,
President,
University of Toronto.

Dear Mr. President:

I am in receipt of your letter re the "veteran". I am sorry that you were troubled with the matter at all. I suggested to the men that they should see Miss Patterson, but told them it was not necessary to interview you. They came back to my office a few days later as I was hurrying away on important business, and I had no idea that they would again call on you.

I will bring their request supported by your letter before the next meeting of the Students' Administrative Council.

Regretting that through haste I was indirectly instrumental in adding to your already too heavy load of detail, I am,

Yours most respectfully,

Collier C. Grant
General Secretary.

STUDENTS ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL.

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[illegible] 28th, 1885.

To J. C. Ayer,

[illegible] Intercommunication Council,

[illegible] of Lowell.

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GEORGE H. DUFF, M.A.,
PRESIDENT

COLLIER C. GRANT, B.A.,
GENERAL SECRETARY-TREASURER

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Students Administrative Council

University of Toronto.

February 24, 1911.

Dear Miss [illegible],
Treasurer,
University of Toronto.

Miss [illegible]:

I exclaim the liberty of enclosing herewith [illegible] of letters owing by us to the Bell Telephone Company. It is necessary for us to make any comments as the letters explain themselves.

A Committee appointed by the Council to arrange for a Theatre Night found it impossible to secure a performance suitable for such an occasion, before Lent, and made a report to that effect to the general meeting last evening. The Council decided to abandon the idea of holding a Theatre Night for this academic year.

Yours respectfully,

Collier Grant

Secretary-Treasurer

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February 14, 1919.

Lieut. Beverley Robinson,
University Club of Toronto,
8[illegible] King St. W.,
Toronto.

Dear Mr. Robinson:

I placed your request before the general meeting of the Students Administrative Council, held last evening, and regret that the meeting decided to take no action in the matter for the following reasons:-

1. Many of the students have already secured tickets for your lecture in Massey Hall. One representative stated that his College had purchased a block of twenty-five (25) seats.

2. Whereas the lecture must be staged for the benefit of some organization and whereas the Council's organizations are in a healthy, financial condition, it was felt that there was no financial need for undertaking the project.

3. There has been such a revival of social activities in the University that it was thought impossible to select a date which would not clash with some student function already advertised.

A resolution was proposed and adopted exhorting as many students as found it possible to turn out at your Massey Hall lecture and a report to that effect appeared in this morning's issue of THE VARSITY.

Regretting that I cannot give you a more favorable report, I am,

Yours faithfully,

[signature]
General Secretary-Treasurer.

STUDENTS ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL.

February 14, 1919.

Pte. Lee,
Great War Veterans Association,
72 Carlton Street,
Toronto.

Re - "The Veteran"

Dear Pte. Lee:

I brought your request before the Students Administrative Council of the University of Toronto and the following motion was passed:- "That representatives of The Great War Veterans Association, be permitted to solicit subscriptions in the rotunda of the Main Building and in the corridors and halls of all University Buildings for one week's time". Please note that this permission does not extend to residences, laboratories or lecture tooms.

The Council have tendered you the same freedom as is extended to student publications. With personal good wishes for your success, I am,

Yours faithfully,

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General Secretary-Treasurer

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STUDENTS ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL

GEORGE H. DUFF, M.A.,
PRESIDENT

COLLIER C. GRANT, B.A.,
GENERAL SECRETARY-TREASURER

Students Administrative Council
University of Toronto.

February 25, 1919.

Sir Robert Falconer,
President,
University of Toronto.

Dear Mr. President:

We are enclosing herewith copy of a letter received at our office. We have written Mrs. Alexander re the subscription for the Fourth Edition of the Varsity Magazine Supplement.

Yours respectfully,

STUDENTS ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL

Collier C. Grant
General Secretary-Treasurer.

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R. R. No. 2.,
Belwood, Ont.,
Feb. 19, 1919.

Mr. Collier C. Grant, B. A.

Dear Sir:

I hold a receipt from you for the sum of $1.50 which sum, I sent to you in order to receive two copies of the Fourth Edition Varsity Magazine Supplement. It is now February and we have never received a copy.

Please forward both copies by return mail as we have not the time nor strength to be writing letters.

We would be very glad to receive any information from the President or anyone connected with the University as to when the First Canadian Tank Battalion is likely to be sent home.

Our reason for this is that Pte. Wm. J. Alexander is our only son and his father is nearly blind, therefore he is badly needed at home to manage the large farm. If you can let us know you will greatly oblige.

Yours very respectfully,

(Signed) "(Mrs.) Jas. Alexander"